Diseases" (ASCAD) and "Foot and Mouth Disease Control Programme" (FMD-CP). Under "ASCAD", immunisation of animals against economically important diseases like Foot and Mouth Disease, Haemorrhagic septicaemia, Anthrax etc. have been envisaged and the State Governments can take up the vaccination of any of the diseases which are important in different areas of their State. The districts of Mahboob Nagar and Nizamabad can be taken up for vaccination against Foot and Mouth Disease under: "Assistance to States for Control of Animal Diseases" (ASCAD), for which the State Government have to submit an Annual Action Plan. We have not yet received the action plan for 2003-04 from Andhra Pradesh. Under the component "Foot and Mouth Disease Control Programme (FMD-CP)" a programme is being implemented in 54 selected districts of the country which include 4 districts of Andhra Pradesh, namely, Rangareddy, Medak, Chittoor and Ananthpur.

Vacant posts in Kendriya Vidyalayas

†*286. SHRI GHANSHYAM CHANDRA KHARWAR: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the region-wise, subject-wise and post-wise details of vacant posts in Kendriya Vidyalayas as on 30th June, 2003; and

(b) by when these posts will be filled up?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) & (b) Information is being collected.

Bio-farm in Orissa

*287. MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:
SHRI B.J. PANDA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has been impressed upon Orissa to set up a bio-farm in the State;

(b) if so, whether the State has asked for help in the matter from the Centre, if so, the details thereof; and

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.